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1. REGARDING US CANDIDATES FOR THE IS A.7 AND A.4
POSITIONS IN THE POLITICAL DIRECTORATE, NATO DIRECTOR
OF MANAGEMENT HAS OFFICIALLY ADVISED US THAT:

A. THE INTERNATIONAL SECRETARIAT WOULD VERY MUCH
APPRECIATE IT IF A THIRD CANDIDATE, BEYOND THE FIRST OFFICER
PROPOSED REFTEL, COULD BE NOMINATED FOR THE A.7 POSITION
OF DIRECTOR, POLITICAL DIRECTORATE AND DEPUTY ASSISTANT
SECRETARY GENERAL. THIS THIRD CANDIDATE SHOULD HAVE A
SOLID ATLANTIC AFFAIRS BACKGROUND AND SHOULD POSSESS VERY
STRONG EXECUTIVE SKILLS. FYI. WE HAVE SPECIFICALLY
ASKED WHETHER NATO OFFICIALS WISH TO INTERVIEW MR.
CUNNINGHAM AND HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT THEY DO NOT WISH
SO TO DO, SINCE HIS BACKGROUND DOES NOT APPEAR TO
UBCLUDE SUFFICIENT ATLANTIC EXPERIENCE OR EXTENSIVE
EXECUTIVE EXPERIENCE. END FYI.

B. THE INTERNATIONAL SECRETARIAT WISHES, HOWEVER,
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TO INTERVIEW THE SECOND CANDIDATE FOR THE A.4 POSITION
OF POLITICAL OFFICER, POLITICAL DIRECTORATE, IDS-
ARMAMENTS AND ARMS CONTROL SECTION, MR. LIEBOWITZ, ON
EITHER 1, 4 OR 5 APRIL. NATO IS PREPARED TO FUND
TRAVEL AND PER DIEM FROM CALCUTTA TO BRUSSELS, AND
WILL REIMBURSE LIEBOWITZ AFTER HIS INTERVIEW VISIT.
IF PRE-FINANCING OF TRAVEL IS PREFERRED, PLEASE TRANSMIT
TRAVEL SCHEDULE AND EXACT ADDRESS OF THE TRAVEL OFFICE
IN CALCUTTA TO RECEIVE PRE-FINANCING INSTRUCTIONS TO
PERMIT TICKET ISSUENCE.

2. PLEASE ADVISE.STRAUSZ-HUPE

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